

TELEGRAPHIC.

PEACE.
Winnipeg, April 11. The financier and Ballouist publishes a despatch from Pretoria this morning declaring that the Boer leaders have accepted the British terms. That peace had been arranged and that the terms of peace have been cabled to the Boer agents in Europe. Other unconfirmed statements of a similar character are in circulation in London to-night. It is said that Frederick Rutherford, Harris, Central News, has received a telegram from the Boer agents in London to the effect that the Boer agents in Europe. Other unconfirmed statements of a similar character are in circulation in London to-night. It is said that Frederick Rutherford, Harris, Central News, has received a telegram from the Boer agents in London to the effect that the Boer agents in Europe.

DEATHS.
Andrew Hayward, wholesaler of Chatham, Ont., is dead.
A. J. King, jeweller of Killarney, Man., is dead.

FORGERY.
Forged Dominion express orders were cashed at Port Arthur.

FLOOD.
The flood situation at Portage la Prairie has become more serious.

DR. TALMAGE.
There has been a marked change for the worse in Dr. Talmage's condition.

SHIRE HORSES.
The shire horse society of England has offered gold medals at Winnipeg and Toronto fairs.

CANADIAN MILITIA.
Ottawa, Ont., April 11.—In the House of Commons, Minister of Militia, announced that the Canadian militia was to be increased from 35,000 to 100,000 men. This was to be done by the establishment of rifle clubs.
A contract had also been entered into for the manufacture of the Ross rifle in Canada. The factory was to be located in Quebec and would turn out over 15,000 rifles annually.
The arsenal at Quebec was to be enlarged and another arsenal would be located in British Columbia. The other branches of the service were to be improved and the Canadian militia made thoroughly effective.

GENERAL.
Cecil Rhodes desired to form an order of chivalry to-day that would advance the cause of the empire. Memorial services to the deceased were held in St. Paul's London.
The railway committee the M. and N. W. railway was granted five years extension of time to complete the road. C. N. R. was reported without discussion.
It is believed an announcement will be made in Belfast to-day that the government intends to suppress the United League.
Premier Hau'auin's motion, regretting that the autonomy had not been granted the Territories, was carried by 22 to 7.
Navigation has opened at Fort William, the Midland Queen reaching the dock. The channel is now clear of ice.
General Stewart L. Woodford, ambassador to Spain, before the war, was in Winnipeg on his way to Japan.
Anderson Martin's trial at Winnipeg, charged with stabbing Brakenham Kelly in a city hotel, has opened.
The body of an old settler, in Rainy River country, named McInnis, was found in the ice at Beaver Hills.
Major Walter, on trial in Manila for murdering natives, had a bad record during the Chinese campaign.
Mrs. Buey Everett murdered her husband and her son and then killed herself while insane.
A dinner in honor of Mr. W. F. Thompson was given at the Manitoba Club, Winnipeg.
Among most impressive scenes Cecil Rhodes' body was laid to rest on Matopo Hills.
A daughter of Rev. J. C. White, Lethbridge, was accidentally shot in the arm.
An English company has been formed to control the oil region in Petrolia, Ont.
A serious diplomatic rupture has occurred between Italy and Switzerland.
General Wm. Booth, of the Salvation Army, celebrated his 73rd birthday.
Premier Ross and colleagues addressed a Saint-Site Marie meeting.
Miss Ellen Stone, the missionary, was welcomed home at New York.
The Winnipeg exhibition board held a preliminary meeting yesterday.
The W. M. P. pensions and the post office bills were discussed.
Several Brandon athletic organizations have reorganized.
Black diphtheria has broken out in North Springfield, Man.
It is believed Col. Lessard will lead the fourth contingent.
Large parties of immigrants reached Winnipeg yesterday.
The Philip D. Armour estate is valued at \$14,751,000.
Wheat prices went lower.

ACCIDENT AT FORT SASKATCHEWAN.
Fort Saskatchewan, April 11.—J. N. W. City met with a painful accident yesterday. On further search the den revealed three cubs of about three weeks old which were captured alive.

LOCAL.
—Frogs were heard last evening.
—High winds and prairie fires on Tuesday night.
—W. Toole, of Calgary, came in on Tuesday night.
—M. McCrimmon returned from Calgary on Monday's train.
—John Owens arrived from the south, on Tuesday night, with a car load of horses.
—W. Henry Scovil arrived on Wednesday's train from Calgary and is at the Alberta.
—The collection of furs brought in, from Fort Resolution by Mr. Swiggart, was shipped to London yesterday.
—W. H. Cooper has been appointed agent for the Canada Accident Assurance Co. for the Edmonton district.
—Major G. H. Young, Winnipeg, inspector of customs, is here on official business and is staying at the Alberta.
—Archbishop Langevin, the visiting bishops and clergy, who were here in connection with the consecration ceremonies at St. Albert, left on yesterday's train.
—Mr. Gillis, who went to Winnipeg for treatment at the general hospital, returned on Monday's train, much improved in health.
—Mrs. Langworthy returned from Vancouver on Tuesday night and accompanied Mr. Langworthy to Fort Saskatchewan on Wednesday.
—Arthur Griffin, of the H. B. Co., at Athabasca Landing, will leave for Wabasca next week, and will take charge of the company's post there.
—W. W. Lyons, of Ottaville, Ont., brother of E. Lyons, Edmonton, arrived on Monday's train, with a carload of settlers' effects. Mr. Lyons will reside in Edmonton.
—Lieut. Bruce Carruthers, who led the brave company in his recent fight at Hart's River, will be remembered by the people of Edmonton. He was here about six years ago, he and some friends made a journey to the Jasper Pass.
—Robt. G. Moore arrived in town Tuesday evening from Jefferson, Oregon Co., U. S. A. He is looking up land intended to settle an express himself as being highly pleased with the prospects offered by the Edmonton district.
—Donald Ross is clearing a large area on his property below the mill. As purchasers have made large tracts on the clear portion of the estate it is deemed advisable to have the lots in a more marketable condition.
—John G. McMechan came in last week from Winifred, S. D., and on visit to the Vermilion country was so impressed with it that he purchased through the Alberta Land Co. 1-4 section of land and will shortly move up to his new claims.
—Isaac Harvey, of Belmont, died on Tuesday afternoon, after a short illness. The deceased, who was 30 years of age, came to the country only a year ago. The body was shipped by this morning's train and will be taken to Exeter, Ont.
—W. A. Tennant, auditor for the C. P. R. company, came up on Tuesday night. He is a brother of Pte. James Tennant, Moncton, N. B., one of the second Mounted Rifles in South Africa, wounded in the Hart's river engagement on March 31st.
—At the annual Easter vestry meeting of All Saints church, held on Wednesday evening, the following officers were elected: Rector's warden, G. W. Strachy; vestrymen, G. R. P. Kirkpatrick, E. C. Emery, A. J. Hallier, J. Morris, W. H. Clark and Wm. Richardson; vestry clerk, St. George Jellett.
—Last night the Garrick Club of Strathcona, as per the Robertson Hall and repeated the play given here on April 1st. Considering the short time since the play was given before there was a good attendance. The troupe has made marked improvement and now presents as good a play as many travelling companies. Mrs. Hill has proved herself a capable manager. The proceeds went in aid of the Public Hospital.
—The proceeds, clear of expenses, of the Public Hospital, sold on April 3rd, under the management of Mrs. Moroney and Mrs. Hockley, amounted to \$156.65. The fancy table under Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Strachy netted \$100.00. The proceeds of the dance are due to those ladies for their aid. The donations to the hospital for March were: Apples, Halber & Aldridge; eggs, Mrs. Keith; magazines, friend.
—Ed. Lyons started yesterday with four teams, taking his gold dredging outfit. Considerable alterations and improvements have been made to the dredge during the winter. "Ed." deserves the success which he thinks will attend his operations this season. He takes ten months and will commence building a ferry immediately at the point where he will commence work, some 40 miles up the river. The teams will return for the engine. No time will be lost as the intention is to start gold dredging and washing as soon as the river is clear of ice.
—A fair audience turned out on Monday evening to hear the lecture by Rev. Father Drummond on "The reasonableness of belief." Robertson Hall, being nearly filled. Mayor Short occupied the chair. Father Drummond delivered his address in a fluent and interesting manner, his statements being logical, forcible and to the point. The audience heard him with close with the best of attention and showed their hearty approval at the conclusion. A vote of thanks to Father Drummond was moved by Rev. Mr. McQueen, seconded by Rev. Mr. Gray and tendered him on behalf of the audience by the chairman. The national anthem was then sung before dispersing.
—J. W. Debor and three sons of Stony Plain have no need to go to St. Mary's to see active service. They report a hot engagement. The other day with Brains leader in place of DeWet. Cleave, one of the boys, had discovered a bear's den on the farm so next day all hands turned out armed with guns, axes and traps to root out the enemy. Hats and coats were laid aside and an assault made. Soon Brains began to creep out and received with guns, axes and traps. When upon he turned around and backed out. As he had appeared the axe fell laying bare his brains and killing her instantly. On further search the den revealed three cubs of about three weeks old which were captured alive.

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THE Annual Gun Club Meeting WILL BE HELD AT The Victoria Hotel ON Monday, April 14th, at 8 o'clock, p.m. All welcome. J. MORRIS.

NOTICE.
The Liquor License Ordinance, North-West Territories. A meeting of the Board of License Commissioners for the District No. 1, will be held at Edmonton, on Tuesday, the 13th day of May, 1902, at 11 o'clock, a.m., to consider the following applications for licenses received by me: Hudson's Bay Co., Edmonton, Wholesale, Hudson's Bay Co. Store, Edmonton, Wholesale, Lot 2, River Lot 3, Mercer, J. B., Edmonton, Wholesale, Lot 4, River Lot 5, Laurendeau, A., Edmonton, Wholesale, Lot 13, River Lot 6, Hett, Feuba, Edmonton, Hotel, Queen's Hotel, Jackson & Grierson, Edmonton, Hotel, Alberta Hotel, Marz, Reinholdt, Edmonton, Hotel, Grand Central Hotel, Goodridge, Susan, Edmonton, Hotel, Jasper House, Chisler & Corrieau, Edmonton, Hotel, Victoria Hotel, Hooten, Joseph, Edmonton, Hotel, Edmonton Hotel, Sigler & Pickard, Edmonton, Hotel, Grandview Hotel, Dufour, W. A., Fort Saskatchewan, Wholesale, Lot 7, Book 1, Beauchamp & Chisler, Fort Saskatchewan, Hotel, Mansion House, Good, P. E., Fort Saskatchewan, Hotel, Queen's Hotel, Dufour, W. A., St. Albert, Wholesale, Gagnon's Hotel, Chevin & Asselin, St. Albert, Hotel, St. Albert Hotel, Boudreau, L. St. Albert, Hotel, Astoria Hotel, St. Jean, Xavier, Lamoureux, Hotel, Saskatchewan Hotel, McDonald, R. A. J., Bay Hotel, Bay Hotel, Vance, Robt., Star, Hotel, Star Hotel, Lapasse, Louis, Morinville, Hotel, Morinville Hotel. Dated at Regina, this 8th day of April, 1902.

HORACE HARVEY.
Deputy Attorney General.

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"DEAD, ON THE
FIELD OF HONOR."

Nine killed and forty-four wounded. This is the fiery baptism of the Third Canadian Contingent that will bring grief to many Canadian homes. But it is the fortune of war, and as the soldiers met their fate bravely so will their relatives, and friends—the people of Canada at large—accept the loss. In its nakedness, war means death. Men serve as soldiers for the purpose of killing the enemy; and when the lot falls upon themselves, there is no good cause of complaint. Better a thousand times better that our men should die bravely in battle, as have so many of the Third Contingent, than that they should rot of fever, in the block houses, as has been the miserable fate of so many of the Constabulary. The experience of the South African war bears out that of every other long continued war in the world's history, that disease kills far more than bullets, and is the chief enemy to be feared.

No man—or woman—in Canada complains because the lives of Canadians have been sacrificed in upholding the empire. But when this is said, all is said. From the meagre report received there is too much reason to fear that the Canadians were the victims of one of those "unfortunate occurrences" which have been so numerous on the British side in the South African war. We have heard too often already of brave lives being uselessly sacrificed as the result of ignorance and incompetence on the part of superior officers for a repetition of the story to arouse enthusiasm. It would seem that the principal loss of life occurred to the force under Captain Bruce Carruthers, who the despatches say held their post until every man was killed or wounded. Such action is becoming to men, and Canadians. It is what their countrymen expected of them; and for which we are proud of them and of ourselves, as their fellow countrymen. But what is to be said of the generalship which, with an overwhelming force at command and unlimited resources, permits a single company to be thus overwhelmed. If it were the first case of the kind in the war, or the hundredth, it would not be so deplorable. But to think that after two years and a half of experience in South Africa such things still occur, and to men whom the event shows to have been of the highest courage and most absolute reliability, indicates something inexpressibly rotten in British army affairs.

And unfortunately the British army has no monopoly of such incompetence. The facts connected with the organization of this very Third Contingent at Halifax showed that we in Canada are sometimes not more fortunate than our friends in Britain in the choice of the men to whose judgment and courage we commit the lives of our soldiers. Further comment may well await further information; but although the Third Contingent was technically a British force commanded by British officers, Canada who furnished the men who have so freely sacrificed their lives, has a right to know—and the people of Canada will demand to know—upon whom rests the responsibility for this sacrifice. Was it a military necessity, or the result of military incompetence on the part of those in authority? There is no limit to what Canada and Canadians will do in support of the empire, except that they will not submit to be made the victims of official ignorance. If the officers of the Third Contingent are not to blame the country wants to know it, and if they are to blame the country wants them punished. Incompetence in a military officer is a high crime, and should be so treated. Right now is a good time to begin.

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT
TURNED DOWN.

The following letter to the Hon. F. W. G. Haultain, from the Minister of the Interior, explains the view taken by the Government of this important subject;

Ottawa, March 27, 1902.

Dear Mr. Haultain,
Absence from Ottawa due to ill-health has prevented me from communicating with you on the subjects discussed by you and your colleagues when here, respecting the financial and constitutional status of the North-West Territories. I presume, however, that you would have gathered our views from the expressions of opinion which took place during our interviews and our conclusions will not, therefore, I trust, come in the way of a surprise.

It is the view of the Government that it will not be wise at the present time to pass legislation forming the North-West Territories into a province or provinces. Some of the reasons leading to this view may be found in the fact that the population of the Territories is yet sparse; that the rapid increase in population now taking place will in a short time alter the conditions to be dealt with very materially,

and that there is a considerable difference of opinion respecting the question whether there should be one province only or more than one province. Holding this view, therefore, it will not be necessary for me to discuss the details of the draft bill which you presented as embodying your views.

Respecting the present financial requirements, the question of an increase in your subsidy is now receiving consideration, but the result cannot, as you are aware, be communicated until the estimates are brought before Parliament. This I have every reason to hope will take place in a very short time.

Believe me, dear Mr. Haultain,
Yours very truly,
(Sgd.) CLIFFORD SIFTON.

Replying to the Hon. Clifford Sifton, on April 22nd, Mr. Haultain in his letter says:

"I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th March, conveying the decision of the Government with regard to the financial and constitutional questions which have been the subject of discussion during the past year and a half. So far from your conclusions coming as a surprise as you suggest, I must say quite frankly that the decision of the Government has come not only as a surprise, but as a deep disappointment as well.

"These opinions and the long delay that followed, in order to choose a convenient time for the 'mature and careful consideration of the various and important subjects which will require to be debated and settled in connection with the establishment of the Territories as a province or upon provincial basis,' led us to suppose that when the subject was finally taken up it would be taken up with a view to immediate settlement. The written statements, which have been made by me, must have proved conclusively that the necessity for the change was a pressing one and that we had arrived at a point when our constitutional and financial position was not adequate to the proper performance of the duties devolving upon us.

"I might point out that we have at least ten times the population of Manitoba when it was erected into a province, and a larger population than that province had so lately as 1891; a considerably larger population than the province of Prince Edward Island and with the immigration of the present season a considerably larger population than the province of British Columbia according to the late census. Another reason advanced is: 'That the rapid increase in population now taking place will in a short time alter the conditions to be dealt with very materially.' This rapid increase in population is one of the principal reasons why we are asking to be formed into a province, in order that we may be able to deal with the new conditions that it brings about. The longer it goes on without the change the more aggravated the present difficulties will become.

"With regard to a divergence of opinion as to one or more provinces, I might say that that is a difficulty which will always exist and which any postponement of action will not remove.

"I must also say on behalf of the Northwest government that after having been asked to form a sub-committee of the privy council and to state our case not only verbally but in writing, it is extremely unsatisfactory that the government has come to the conclusion: 'That it will not be necessary to discuss the details of the draft bill which embodied our views.' This is a conclusion to the negotiations which have been held which we could hardly have expected considering the importance of the subject discussed and the formal manner in which the discussion has taken place.

"We cannot but regret that the government has not been able to recognize the urgent necessity for the change that has been asked and can only trust that as you have denied us the opportunity of helping ourselves you will be at least impressed with the necessity and the duty, which is now yours, of meeting the pressing necessities of these rapidly developing Territories. While we may, in your opinion without inconvenience mark time constitutionally, we cannot do without the transportation facilities, the roads, the bridges, the schools and the other improvements which our rapidly growing population imperatively requires, and at once. Whether we are made into a province or not, our financial necessities are just as real, and in conclusion I can only trust that when the question of an increase to our subsidy is receiving consideration, more weight will be given to our representations in that respect than has been given to our requests for constitutional changes."

Awful Disaster at Football Match
Glasgow, April 6.—The casualty list of the disaster at Ibrox Park, where a number of persons were killed or injured by the collapse of a stand during the football match yesterday afternoon between England and Scotland, has been completed to-day. The disaster resulted in the death of twenty-one persons, and the injuring of 250. Nearly 300 of the latter were so seriously hurt they were taken to infirmaries for operation and treatment, where 150 of them still remain. Several more deaths undoubtedly will result.

To-day the infirmaries are besieged by friends and relatives of the victims of the disaster, and heart-rending scenes were witnessed when the names building.

The action of the authorities at Ibrox Park in allowing the game to proceed, while they were engaged in the process of erecting a new stand, was a serious one, is not generally recognized. The incongruity of the yells of the applause mingling with the groans of the struggling and injured will never be forgotten by those who witnessed the scene at the rear of the terrace.

Are these for the C. N.?

Vancouver, World, April 1.—Christians, Norway, March 3.—Two thousand and a half men hired here by an American contractor for railway work in Canada. It is not announced where these services will be required, although it will probably be in the west.

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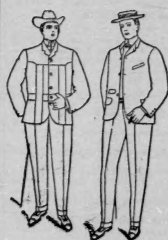
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LOCAL

—Ambrose Grey left yesterday for Saddle Lake.

—H. Frigida is building a barn and will build a house on his lots purchased on the Donald Ross flat.

—The Edmonton Gun Club will hold their annual meeting at the Victoria Hotel on Monday, April 14th, at 8 p.m.

—Mr. Speaker Eakin and the members of the Northwest Assembly give an "At Home," in the Legislative Chamber at Regina, this evening.

—Dr. Jamieson, of Lacombe, has arrived in town and will open up an office in the room formerly occupied by Dr. Roy, opposite Massey-Harris.

—Miss Fielders is having an artist's studio built adjoining her residence on Victoria avenue, with the intention of holding classes in oil and water color painting.

—Donald Ross is building a barn, 57x30, at the foot of the hill for use in connection with his hotel. The barn is near completion and will have stalls for 14 teams.

—At the meeting of the Public Library on Tuesday night it was announced that the new quarters over the McLeod block, would be occupied about the 15th of May.

—Grand Forks, N. D., April 2.—Old Fort Pembina, a land mark familiar to all Red River pioneers, has been sold. The block contained 1700 acres and brought about \$25,000.

—Frank, Alberta, April 4.—Frank needs either police or a coroner, judging by the way some of the Slavonic citizens settle their difficulties. The use of knife and gun is becoming too common.

—The bridge over the Mill Creek on the Gallagher-Hall road and the bridge behind Gallagher's slaughter house are in a very unsafe condition. The planking is spread and rotten, quite unfit for traffic.

—Regina, April 3.—In reply to Mr. P. Villeneuve, Premier Haultain stated the government was still considering what action should be taken in regard to including Athabasca Landing in St. Albert electoral district.

—Regina, April 3.—In reply to Mr. Guire came here from Prince Albert last evening and arranged the transfer of his judicial district to Judge Prendergast. He went to Calgary this morning to enter on his duties there, and Judge Prendergast will go to Prince Albert to-morrow for a similar purpose.

—Free Press, April 5.—The latest extensive purchase of our lands by American capitalists is one of 75,000 acres in the Langenburg, Churchbridge and Saltcoats districts, by the Grant-Armstrong Land Co., of Wisconsin. American farmers will be induced to settle there.

—A. Cristall has moved to the new building lately erected by him, opposite the Imperial Bank. The store is finished in an attractive manner, the stamped steel ceiling being particularly so. A general stock of ready made clothing and furnishings will be kept. New goods are now being opened.

—Canadian Engineer, A. P. Low, of Ottawa, who to represent a big steel syndicate, reports, in a letter from Fort Harrison, on the bay, the discovery of vast beds of high grade ore containing enough manganese to make up for any lack of iron.

—On Friday last when the Minister of Militia read the despatch announcing the Canadian casualties in South Africa, Dr. Borden said the "Canadians are maintaining the reputation they have already achieved in South Africa and they continue to prefer death to surrender." Both sides of the House applauded this remark.

—As the result of a bet, made the 15th of March last year, with regard to the date of completion of the railway extension to Edmonton, certain members of the town council will entertain their colleagues and the members of the present council and office bearers, at a supper to be given at the Alberta Hotel to-night.

—The following settlers registered at the Edmonton Emigration Hall since Monday: M. L. Hoffman, Louis Labau, Indiana; Duncan Gray, James Carl, George McLachlan, Neil Forbes, Scotland; Robert G. Moore, Oregon; Herman Henke, Wisconsin; J. E. Sutherland, Iowa; H. Kalding, heavy support, Ontario; Albert Kojim, Minn. C. W. Dietzel and H. C. Falk, two German delegates from Oregon, and representing twenty-five families, bought sections of C. P. R. land in the Vermilion district. H. C. Falk intends to start a sheep ranch. Both these gentlemen expressed themselves as being highly pleased with the country and its future prospects.

—A movement is on foot here to form a rifle association. Those who have taken the matter in hand will first attempt to find where and how satisfactory arrangements can be made to procure a range. When what may be considered a sufficient number of names for membership have been secured the government concurrence will be asked and rifles will be applied for. Everyone interested in encouraging the use of this weapon, now of so much importance to the empire, should give the movement hearty support. Even those who do not feel like taking active part can encourage the younger men, by their co-operation while organizing and contributing towards the more substantial end of the movement. Mr. W. Griesbach will be pleased to give any information as to the preliminaries.

—The three year-old son of Harry Bell, Sturgeon, river, got badly burnt last Sunday morning. A spark from the stove got on the little fellow's coat; going outside the wind fanned the spark into a blaze. The flames were promptly extinguished by Mr. Bell, whose attention was attracted by the boy's screams. Dr. Whitelaw was summoned, the burns were, however, of such a serious nature it was thought advisable to bring the sufferer in to the Public Hospital, where he is progressing slowly, though every hope of recovery is entertained.

SCHOOL BOARD.

At the meeting of the Edmonton school board held last evening, the following trustees were present: A. Taylor, H. C. Taylor, and T. Bellamy. St. George Jellett, Secy-treas.

The minutes of the last meeting were confirmed.

Communications were read and filed.

Payment of the following accounts was authorized:

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| Pay Sheet for February | \$6.81 |
| Pay Sheet for March | 6.81 |
| K. W. MacKenzie | 5.50 |
| K. W. MacKenzie | 11.80 |
| Hoover, teaming | 1.50 |
| W. H. Clark | 4.00 |
| Edmonton Post | 1.00 |
| J. Miller, coal | 57.25 |
| J. Miller, coal | 34.00 |

The chairman was instructed to confer with J. T. Blower re seats, and pay a certificate from the chairman the secretary to pay the bill.

The architect was instructed to notify the contractor that work must proceed at once and be carried on continuously, at full pressure, weather permitting, and that the school must be ready for occupation by September 1st.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Thursday.

Jasper—Mr. Fraser, town; M. Stefford; Leonard Heinzen; C. L. Smith; F. Fortier, Sturgeon.

Alberta—T. B. Redmond, T. J. Lawson, W. J. Wilson, Winnipeg; R. Rhodes, Des Moines, Iowa; A. Talbot, Montreal; J. W. Currie, Brandon.

Queen's—C. McIntyre, Emory, S. D.; M. Durrand, J. Lamoureux, Lamoureux; Leon Moret, A. Brenner, L. Thompson, Fort Saskatchewan; J. E. Chandler, Wetaskiwin; C. N. Wood, E. F. Morris, A. Rede, Fargo, N. D.; T. H. Dawson, E. G. Rosenkranz, Appleton, Minn.; R. J. Turner, Toronto; J. W. Atkins, Springfield; H. Bertrand, Leduc; John McNamara, Riviere Qui Barre; A. Ross, Pembina river; F. A. Middleton, town; L. Boisramet, Morinville.

Victoria—Z. Tellier, E. Leguerrier, Morinville; A. E. Burns, Winnipeg; J. Pourrier, Glenfield.

Grandview—W. Merrick, G. S. Bishop, Hinton, N. D.; H. Wenclo, Strathcona; L. Hogan, St. Albert; D. McDonald, Bon Accord; H. W. Edmiston, W. P. Potter, T. H. Wilson, Sturgeon; J. J. Lee, town; C. McDonald, Pembina; W. Krause, Spruce Grove.

Pretoria, April 6.—Jasper Kruger, the eldest son of former President Kruger, and twenty-four relatives, Mr. Kruger, bearing the family name, are among those who have recently taken the oath of allegiance to Great Britain.

BULLS FOR N. W. T.

Arrangements have again been made by the Pure Bred Cattle Breeders' Association, of Manitoba, whereby pure bred sows will be shipped from Manitoba to the Territories under arrangements with the Territorial Government.

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SATURDAY, THE 20TH DAY OF APRIL, 1902.

At the hour of Two O'clock in the afternoon, when the subject of resolution, which was passed at the extraordinary general meeting of the Company held on the 5th day of April, 1902, will be taken for consideration as a special resolution, namely:

"That the Directors do and they are hereby authorized to raise the sum of \$7,000 by way of loan, on such terms as to time of repayment, rate of interest, and otherwise, as the Directors may be able to arrange; and in the name of the Company to indemnify by agreement secured, if so arranged, by mortgage on the same property, the Directors or any other member of the Association against the payment of the amount of the loan, or any part thereof, in case they become personally responsible in respect thereof."

Dated, Edmonton, the 5th day of April, 1902.

By Order,

F. FRASER TIMS,

Secretary-Treasurer.

Jas. McDonald,

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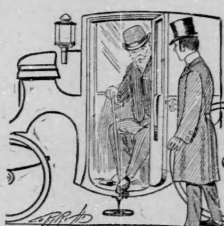
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